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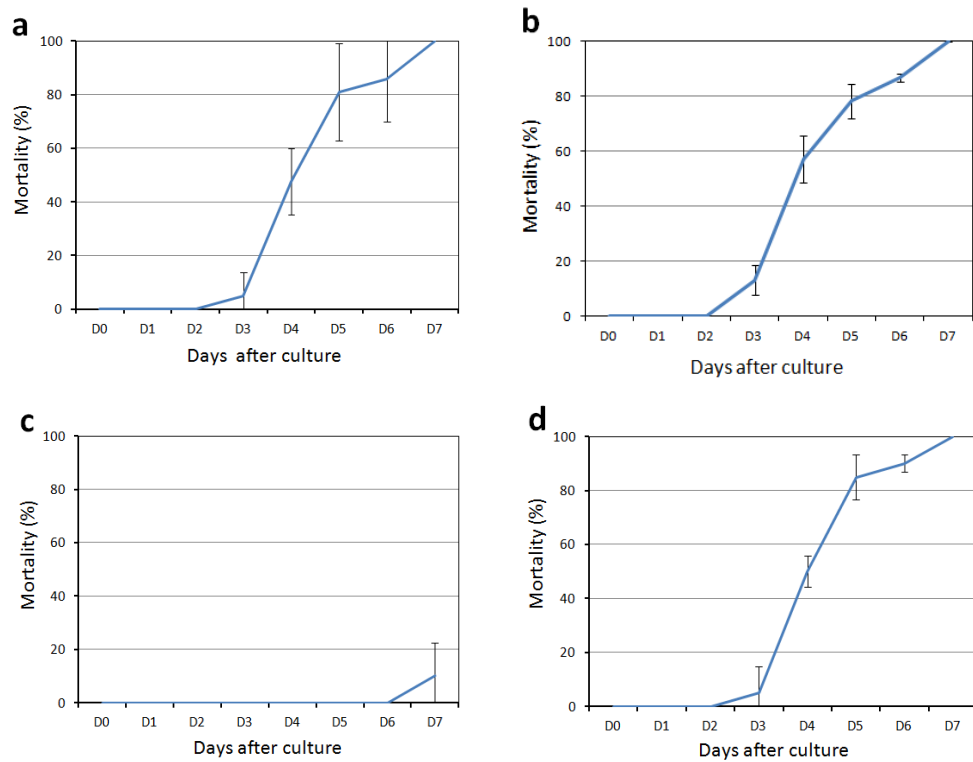
**Sexual complementarity between host humoral toxicity and soldier  
caste in a polyembryonic wasp**

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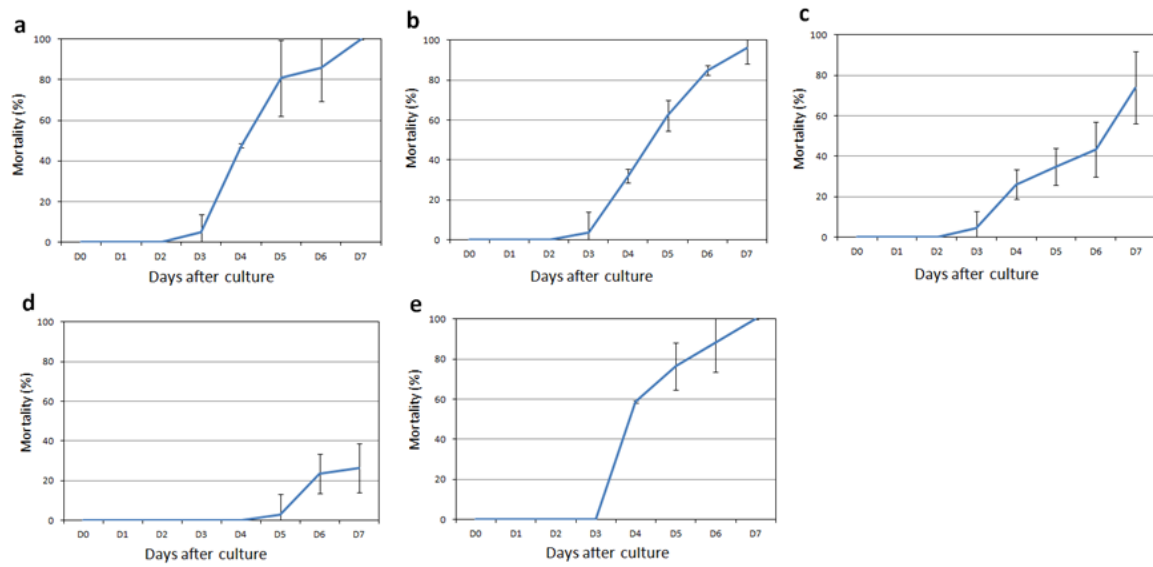
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**Supplementary Fig. 1.** Percentage mortality figures for each treatment, represented with SD bars. **a**, Cf<sub>♀</sub>-parasitized; **b**, Cf<sub>♀</sub>+ *G. pallipes*- multiparasitized; **c**, non-parasitized; **d**, Cf<sub>♂</sub>-parasitized host hemolymph (related to Fig. 2a).



**Supplementary Fig. 2.** Percentage mortality figures for each treatment, represented with SD bars. **a**, control (25°C); **b**, 50°C; **c**, 55°C; **d**, 60°C; **e**, Cf♂(60°C) (related to Fig. 2b).

**Supplementary Table 1.** State of the hosts for hemolymph samples and the effect of hemolymph injection into *G. pallipes*-parasitized hosts on hatchability of the eggs.(related to Fig. 1a)

1 non-parasitized hosts					2 Cf ♂-parasitized					3 Cf ♀-parasitized					4 Gp-parasitized				
Host #	No. of Gp eggs			Hatchability (%)	Host #	No. of Gp eggs			Hatchability (%)	Host #	No. of Gp eggs			Hatchability (%)	Host #	No. of Gp eggs			Hatchability (%)
	Hatched	Unhatched	Total			Hatched	Unhatched	Total			Hatched	Unhatched	Total			Hatched	Unhatched	Total	
1	75	12	87	86.2	1	15	66	81	18.5	1	91	1	92	98.9	1	99	1	100	99.0
2	84	5	89	94.4	2	86	21	107	80.4	2	84	17	101	83.2	2	64	12	76	84.2
3	59	0	59	100.0	3	8	84	92	8.7	3	68	7	75	90.7	3	88	13	101	87.1
4	118	12	130	90.8	4	42	5	47	89.4	4	57	4	61	93.4	4	56	4	60	93.3
5	84	6	90	93.3	5	9	63	72	12.5	5	51	8	59	86.4	5	76	8	84	90.5
6	49	8	57	86.0	6	6	67	73	8.2	6	33	13	46	71.7	6	94	13	107	87.9
7	67	4	71	94.4	7	8	78	86	9.3	7	74	19	93	79.6	7	104	19	123	84.6
8	55	5	60	91.7	8	25	87	112	22.3	8	112	14	126	88.9	8	52	4	56	92.9
9	81	7	88	92.0	9	28	41	69	40.6	9	110	7	117	94.0	9	37	7	44	84.1
10	74	6	80	92.5	10	61	15	76	80.3	10	45	1	46	97.8	10	102	1	103	99.0
11	60	4	64	93.8	11	12	78	90	13.3	11	45	14	59	76.3	11	81	9	90	90.0
12	67	5	72	93.1	12	7	58	65	10.8	12	42	0	42	100.0	12	49	0	49	100.0
13	67	3	70	95.7	13	20	98	118	16.9	13	92	4	96	95.8	13	52	5	57	91.2
14	80	9	89	89.9	14	8	50	58	13.8	14	106	3	109	97.2	14	53	3	56	94.6
15	99	12	111	89.2	15	11	100	111	9.9	15	68	1	69	98.6	15	34	1	35	97.1
16	127	14	141	90.1	16	72	17	89	80.9	16	111	12	123	90.2	16	53	12	65	81.5
17	73	10	83	88.0	17	79	11	91	86.8	17	53	14	67	79.1	17	103	14	117	88.0
18	66	10	76	86.8	18	26	68	94	27.7	18	78	12	90	86.7	18	105	12	117	89.7
19	95	9	104	91.3	19	27	77	104	26.0	19	51	3	54	94.4	19	40	3	43	93.0
20	93	15	108	86.1	20	66	5	71	93.0	20	37	27	64	57.8					
21	71	9	80	88.8						21	48	9	57	84.2					
22	64	11	75	85.3						22	44	14	58	75.9					
23	88	19	107	82.2						23	38	1	39	97.4					
24	84	7	91	92.3						24	92	4	96	95.8					
25	79	9	88	89.8						25	81	8	89	91.0					
26	78	17	95	82.1															
27	96	20	116	82.8															
28	119	11	130	91.5															
29	100	8	108	92.6															
30	87	16	103	84.5															

**Supplementary Table 2.** Statistical tests using Welch's two sample t-test for egg mortality of *G. pallipes* in the host injected with test host hemolymph (related to Fig. 1a)

Between two test hemolymph	t-value	df	p-value
Non-parasitized / Cf ♂-parasitized	7.1839	48	5.36e-07
Cf ♂-parasitized/ Cf ♀-parasitized	6.744	43	4.63e-07
Non-parasitized / Cf ♀-parasitized	0.1280	53	0.8989
Non-parasitized / Gp-parasitized	-7.259	47	2.17e-07

**Supplementary Table 3.** Contingration test - Observed (and expected) frequencies of successful and failed parasitism in *G. pallipes* in the hosts injected with test host hemolymph at parasitism. (related to Fig. 1b)

Host hemolymph compared	Successful parasitism	Failed parasitism	Totals
Non-parasitized	22 (20.7)	8 (9.3)	30
Cf ♀	16 (17.3)	9 (7.7)	25
Totals	38	17	55

$$\chi^2 = 13.675, df=1, p<0.001$$

Host hemolymph compared	Successful parasitism	Failed parasitism	Totals
Cf ♂	4 (8.9)	16 (11.1)	20
Cf ♀	16 (10.4)	9 (9.6)	25
Totals	20	25	45

$$\chi^2 = 8.712, df=1, p<0.01$$

Host hemolymph compared	Successful parasitism	Failed parasitism	Totals
Non-parasitized	22 (15.6)	8 (14.4)	30
Cf ♂	4 (10.4)	16 (9.6)	20
Totals	26	24	50

$$\chi^2 = 0.5562, df=1, p>0.05$$

**Supplementary Table 4.** Number of samples (hosts) used in the experiments shown in Fig. 1c.

Hemolymph of hosts	Time after hemolymph injection			
	24h	48h	72h	96h
Non-parasitized	20	20	20	20
Parasitized by				
Cf ♂	20	20	20	20
Cf ♀	25	25	25	25
Cf ♀ + Gp	25	25	25	25

**Supplementary Table 5.** Statistical tests using Welch's two sample t-test for larval moving activity of *G. pallipes* in the host injected with test host hemolymph (related to Fig. 1c)

Between two test hemolymph (time after injection)	t-value	df	p-value
Cf♂ (24h)/ Cf♂ (48h)	-0.6506	32.470	0.5199
Cf♂ (48h)/ Cf♂ (72h)	-12.331	25.936	2.371e-12
Cf♂ (72h)/ Cf♂ (96h)	-4.3621	28.103	0.0002
Cf♂ (24h)/ Cf♂ (96h)	-22.378	35.216	<2.2e-16
Cf♂ (48h)/ Cf♂ (96h)	-27.507	37.177	<2.2e-16
Non(24h)/ Cf♂ (24h)	23.079	29.627	<2.2e-16
Cf♂ (24h)/ Cf♀ (24h)	-20.154	36.541	<2.2e-16
Cf♂ (24h)/ Cf♀ +Gp(24h)	-22.789	33.052	<2.2e-16

**Supplementary Table 6.** Effect of proteinase on the toxicity of the hemolymph

Proteinase	Concentration (µg/ml)	No. of hosts	Mortality (%)
Proteinase K	1.25	30	33.3
	2.5	28	14.3
	5	25	8
	10	31	4.2

Hemolymph collected from *C. floridanum* -parasitized hosts was pretreated at 60°C from 20 min. One ml of Proteinase K solution was added to 100 ml of hemolymph at 25°C for 60 min. The reaction was terminated by the addition of PMSF. Mortality of *G. pallipes* was calculated 7 days after incubation.

**Supplementary Table 7.** Number of samples examined for changes in mortality of *G. pallipes* multiparasitized with male or female *C. floridanum* during development (related to Fig. 3b)

Multiparasitized with	Days after Gp parasitism					
	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7
Cf♂	45	38	38	35	37	37
Cf♀	35	40	35	35	40	40